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REPLY TO ACTION OF FEBRUARY 6, 2007

In reply to the Final Office Action of February 6, 2007, applicants submit the following remarks. Claims 1-11, 19-30, 38-42, 80-83, 121 and 122 are pending.

The claims have been rejected for obviousness-type double patenting over claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 6,787,807 and U.S. 6,956,235. Applicants respectfully submit that the terminal disclaimer filed with this reply pursuant to 37 CFR 3.73(b) and 37 CFR 1.321(c) is sufficient to overcome this rejection.

Since no other rejection has been issued, applicants submit that the claims are now in condition for allowance.

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Respectfully submitted,



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